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American Dietetic Association.

DIETITIANS ATTEND CONFERENCE



Dietitians who attended the meeting of the American Dietetic Association held at the McAlpin Hotel, October 14 to 20 are as follows: top row, reading from left to right: Georgette B. White, chief dietitian, Freedmen's hospital; Nell C. Frazier, assistant dietitian, Veterans' hospital, Tuskegee, Ala.; Ada D. Vinson, dietitian, Hubbard hospital, Nashville, Tenn.; Pauline Buford, dietitian, Mercy hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.; Motto Sims, instructor in home economics, Tuskegee Institute. Bottom row, reading left to right: Helen Lucas, dietitian in adult education, Washington, D.C.; Lucille Wamack, assistant dietitian, Veterans' hospital, Tuskegee, Ala.; Captoria Gwyn, dietitian, General hospital No. 2, Kansas City, Mo.; Delma F. Thompson, assistant dietitian, Freedmen's hospital; Curtis L. Horne, assistant dietitian, Freedmen's hospital; Thelma Bolling, dietitian, Flint Goodrich hospital, New Orleans, La.

National Alliance of Postal Employees.

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~~WILHOIT QUILTS~~ POSTAL ALLIANCE

States He Will Seek Rein-
statement in Post
Office Service

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—(ANP)—Roy D. Wilhoit, president of the National Alliance of Postal Employees, who was separated from the Railway Mail Service last December after charges involving moral turpitude had been filed with the post-office department, tendered his resignation as president of the Alliance last Friday, effective March 1. *1/2 a day earlier*

In a letter addressed to Jerry O. Gilliam, vice-president of the organization, Mr. Wilhoit wrote:

"In view of the developing schism in the Executive Committee and the consequent adverse effect upon the morale of the membership, caused by activities for and against me during my "Service Difficulties," and altho' I have been assured by hundreds of members that I have their confidence, support and belief that my difficulties can be laid at the door of some of my so-called "comrades," I believe the best interests of the organization will be served by relinquishing my position as an officer."

On the same day Mr. Wilhoit made public a letter addressed to a Chicago newspaper which published letters from Mrs. Angie Young, the "woman in the case," in which the charges were made that no interest had been served by publishing the "purported" letters and revealing phases of Mrs. Young's life which were lurid in the extreme. Mr. Wilhoit announced that he was planning to seek reinstatement into the service.

New Vice President Of Postal Alliance

Nashville, Tenn. Banner
September 4, 1934

Gupton Speaks Before

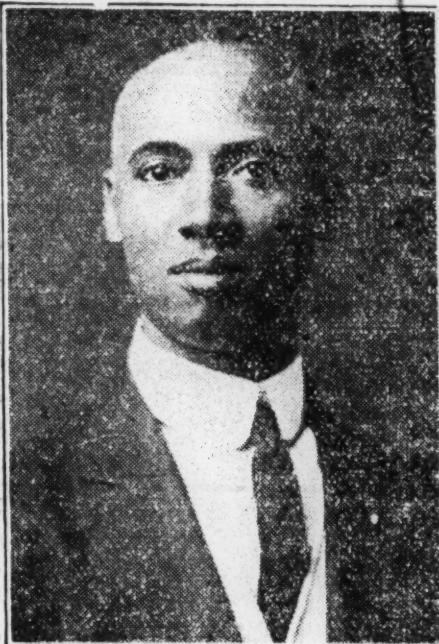
Negro Postal Employes

Postmaster William Gupton told members of the National Alliance of Postal Employees, Negro organization, at a district meeting at Morris Memorial Chapel Tuesday that he favored organization among postal employes.

The postmaster stressed unselfishness and efficiency as very essential qualifications for the postal service.

J. M. Clark, president of the local branch, called the meeting to order at 10 a. m. Besides Postmaster Gupton, speakers were: John P. Waldman, chief clerk of the railway mail service; W. E. Wright, assistant chief clerk; and Elmo Chilton, president of the fourth division of the Railway Mail Association.

H. H. Ateman of Memphis, district president of the organization, also spoke.



L. E. FORD

WASHINGTON. — (ANP) Jerry O. Gilliam, of Norfolk, Va., was elected last Thursday to presidency of the National Alliance of Postal Employes. Gilliam succeeds Roy O. Wilhoit, who recently resigned. Gilliam was formerly vice-president of the organization. L. F. Ford of St. Louis was made vice president.

Resolutions were passed at the meeting favoring restoration of basic salary levels and automatic pay increase, and opposing reclassification of terminal railway post offices.

Salaries of officers of the Alliance were reduced as an economic measure. The size of the official publication was reduced and group insurance was reinstated.

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National Builders Association.

BUILDERS FORM ASSOCIATION TO IMPROVE STATUS

Negro technicians and artisans organized Friday at the Y.M.C.A. on a temporary basis as a branch of the National Builders Association. Howard D. Woodson, president, stated that charter memberships would be open to persons who elect to join during the month of January.

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Organized 15 years ago at Hampton Institute, the National Building Association secures employment for and assists in educating its members on a guild basis.

It has completed a survey of colored men in building trades in Washington, especially with respect to technicians and contractors forced into laboring jobs under the CWA and CWS and will aim to supply competent technicians for such housing programs as may be devised in the District.

Woodson President

Mr. Woodson, the president, is a structural engineer in the Treasury Department. Other officers include: R. C. Archer, architect, vice-president; George W. Miles, contractor, secretary; William Woodson, plastering contractor, assistant secretary; Thomas Adell, bricklayer, treasurer; the Rev. E. D. Swinson, contractor and builder, chaplain, and C. W. S. Graves, sergeant-at-arms.

Howard Mackey, professor of architecture at Howard University, has been named chairman of a committee on projects and promotion; Thomas P. Curry, employment; J. A. Green, codes; C. W. S. Graves, grievances, and Lewis Johnson, membership. Meetings are held each Friday evening at the Twelfth Street branch of the Y.M.C.A.

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Negro Organization Society.

Organization Society Reelects All Officers; To Meet In Franklin Next Year; 10 More on Board

By MILTON L. RANDOLPH

ASHLAND, Va.—The twenty-second annual meeting of the Negro Organization Society closed an impressive two-day session with a public meeting in the chapel of the Randolph-Macon College here Friday night with James N. Hillman, president of Emory and Henry College, delivering the main address.

During the course of this address, Dr. Hillman stated that public sentiment must be built up to such an extent that all citizens will get justice before the law regardless of color of skin.

Featured on the musical part of the program were the Sabbath Glee Club of Richmond, directed by Joseph Matthews, and the Hampton Institute Quartet.

The society and visitors meeting for the first time at a white college, was extended a cordial welcome by Dr. R. E. Blackwell, president, Randolph-Macon and president, State Interracial Commission. The response was made by Dr. J. M. Gandy, president, Virginia State College.

Greetings Extended

Greetings were also extended by L. R. Reynolds, director, Virginia Commission on Interracial Cooperation. Following Dr. Gandy's re-mental red tape as it was simply a response, William M. Cooper, Hamp-ton Institute, read a letter sent by Dr. Morgan E. Norris, presided over the Negro Organization Society to Dr. Blackwell expressing the organization's appreciation for the spirit of cooperation he had shown in this meeting and all other meetings for racial cooperation and uplift.

Dr. Eugene Kinckle Jones, advisor on Negro affairs, Department of Commerce, Washington, outlined to the assembly what he considered vital opportunities for the future progress of the Negro due to greater state and Federal participation in the educational set up for the entire population. Dr. Jones was presented by Mr. Cooper.

County Program Noted

Wednesday evening marked the opening of the society's session with the county participation program presented at Shiloh Baptist Church. Prof. W. O. Bowley, principal, Hanover County Training School presided. The main address was delivered by W. B. Layton, Negro Organization Society in Virginia. The

superintendent, Virginia Manual Labor School. He discussed the history of the Negro Organization Society and the future of the Negro through organized effort.

Among the speakers appearing at this session were Mrs. Virginia Roane, Alexander Hewlett, Miss Mae Mathews, Miss Adele Dabney, Rev. W. N. Hunter and R. H. Tinsley. Special music was furnished by Union Church Choir, and the Hanover Training School Octette.

Three Session Thursday

Three sessions were held Thursday. "Better Homes," occupying the morning hours, "Better Health," the afternoon and a welcome session to the organization by local officials and organizations filled in evening meet.

Miss L. A. Jenkins, presided over the Better Homes session. Demonstrations on preparing and serving the school lunch were made by home demonstration agent assisted by 4-H Club and Home Demonstration Club members.

Courtney S. Welton, state reconditioning supervisor of the Home Owners Loan Corporation stressed the importance of using the HOLC if such assistance was really needed.

Mr. Welton stated that the loans were open to all citizens and appealed to applicants not to grow weary of recovery government.

Speakers at this session were Dr. W. E. Reid and Miss Mary I. Mastin. Demonstrations on The Five Point Pupils in School Health Program was made by Miss Frederica Beale. Remarks were made by Dr. B. B. Bagby, Dr. Fred Brown, and H. Laurie Smith.

Among the speakers were Mayor B. Morgan Sheppard, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Supt. J. Walton Hall, Dr. Frank L. Day, Rev. E. E. Moore, Mrs. Ethel Hicks and Miss Hattie Johnson.

Field Secretary Reports

Response to the welcome address was made by J. A. Oliver, Negro Organization Society which was followed with his annual report. Mr. Oliver presented at Shiloh Baptist Church. Prof. W. O. Bowley, principal, Hanover County Training School presided. The main address was delivered by W. B. Layton, Negro Organization Society in Virginia. The

charts revealed that there are four full time nurses and nine FERA nurses working in thirteen counties through the influence of the society and that the activities of the Organization Society cover 76 counties and that during the year 1933-34 the secretary had visited organizations and meetings in 51 counties with a total of 299 visits for the year.

Dr. Robert P. Daniel, Virginia Union University, presented many major problems of the Negro in the field of education, during the course of his address. He made a vivid analysis of the provision for white and Negro education in the state.

Other speakers on his program were Dr. Roscoe C. Brown, Mrs. Janie Porter Barrett and Atty. T. C. Walker.

Bust of Mme. Walker Presented
Probably one of the most impressive high lights of Thursday's session was the presentation to the society of a bust of Mrs. Maggie L. Walker, made by J. S. Collins. Mrs. Walker, a charter member of the society, has given many years of faithful service to the development and progress of its work.

Music was furnished by Shiloh Church Choir and Miss Alfreda Jackson.

Franklin 1935 Host

An invitation extended the Society by the Mayor of Franklin and the school officials of Southampton County was accepted and the 1935 convention will be held in Franklin November 7 and 8, 1935.

All officers were reelected and new members elected to the Executive Board were Mrs. Estelle Wingo, Amelia County; Miss Virginia Randolph, Henrico County; Miss Marian Gore, Elizabeth City County; Charles Clark, West Point; Rev. H. R. Young, Kilmarnock; Prof. A. G. Richardson, South Hill; Mrs. Maud W. Winston, Franklin; Mrs. Mary F. Watkins, Toano; Mrs. Wansa B. Webb, Norfolk; and Lawyer James T. Carter, Richmond.

Dr. Arthur D. Wright, president, Jeanes-Slater Fund was at the Executive Board meeting and presented plans for possible aid in the future of the society's program.

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Pacific Movement of the Eastern World Inc.

The Pacific Gets Violent

~~Black Dispatch~~
A short while ago in these columns we advised our readers in Oklahoma to pay no attention to organizers out in the rural section collecting money for what is called "The Pacific Movement." The young men traveling over the state presenting this new "cure" for race disabilities were glib of tongue and were actually making some headway until the Black Dispatch issued its warning.

Last week, in St. Louis, Walter Peebles, head of the movement, was arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretense. Turn to page one and read a news story covering this arrest. As we said in a previous article, Negroes in Oklahoma have had enough of Chief Sams and "Modern Moses" who promise to lead them across the Red Sea. Just now the Pacific Movement does not appear to be very pacific.

Head Of Pacific Movement Seized

~~Black Dispatch~~
Is Charged With Obtaining
Money By False Pretense

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Apr. 26. Walter Peebles, 59 years old, 3031 Lawton avenue, national president of the Pacific Movement of the Eastern World, ~~Inc.~~, and David Erwin, 33, 3818 Finney avenue, were arrested in the Municipal Court Building Monday about 12:30 p. m. upon the request of Prosecuting Attorney Harry Rosecan. The charge preferred against them was "obtaining money by false pretense."

Atty. Rosecan said that William Redmond of 4551 North Market street, and William Henderson, 2410 North Taylor avenue, and Ollin Rice, 2529 Belle Glade avenue, had complained of paying \$2.50 each to Peebles for membership in the Pacific Movement of the Eastern World.

Asst. Prosecuting Atty. Hough stated that his office had investigated and found no record of a charter at the office of the Secretary of State.